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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice to Comply with

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Disclosures dated April 26, 2001 be extended for a period of five (5) month(s) from May 26, 2001 to

and including October 26, 2001.

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Respectfully submitted, n He

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